(*c*) whether any Gazette Notification has been made in the matter?

Mr. A. Madhava Prabhu *(Diwan Peishkar):*

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Lands relinquished by the Railway Company have to be disposed of. Several applications have been received for assignment of some of them. The Tahsildar has been asked to report as to how each item has to be disposed of. His report has not yet been received.

(*c*) No.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Nellayi):* When were these lands relinquished by the company?

Mr. A. Madhava Prabhu *(Diwan Peishkar):* After the Broad Gauge was opened. All the lands have not been relinquished. They are relinquishing them part by part. The whole thing is not yet over.

INSTITUTE FOR DEAF AND DUMB, KUNNAMKULAM

66. Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South):* Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether there is an institute for the Deaf and Dumb in Kunnamkulam;

(*b*) who is the proprietor of the school or the persons who are in actual management of the same;

(*c*) how many defectives are in the institute;

(*d*) what is the kind of training imparted to them;

(*e*) how many teachers are employed in the institute;

(*f*) are they whole-time teachers;

(*g*) what are their names and their salaries;

(*h*) whether the Government give any kind of help to it?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):*

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Mr. K. T. Mathew is the Manager.

(*c*) 13.

(*d*) Training in (1) Reading and writing, (2) Speech (using no language of signs or finger spelling) (3) Lip reading, (4) Agriculture, (5) Industries such as weaving, basketry, needle-work and tailoring,

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(6) Rural reconstruction work such as paper-making, bee-keeping, poultry-keeping and (7) Scouting.

(*e*) Two.

(*f*) Yes.

(*g*) 1. K. T. George, Rs. 25 a month.

2. Miss Rosey Mathew, Honorary.

(*h*) Yes.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: May I know, Sir, what is the kind of help that is given by Government?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: We pay Rs. 5 a month for the pupil and Rs. 25 for the teacher as salary.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: May I know how many borders are there in the school?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: It is given there. They are all residents there.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: May I know, Sir, whether this K. T. George has anything to do with K. T. Mathew, the Manager?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*: I have no information.

INSTITUTE FOR BLIND, KUNNAMKULAM

67. Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: Will Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether there is an Institute for the Blind in Kunnamkulam;

(*b*) who is the Proprietor of the school or the persons who are in management of the same;

(*c*) its strength;

(*d*) kind of training given;

(*e*) teachers employed, their names and hours of work;

(*f*) help, if any, granted by the Government;

(*g*) whether it receives any contribution from other agencies?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction)*:

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Mr. K. T. Mathew is the Manager.

(*c*) 22.

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